

HOUSE BILL 1736  
By Brooks (Knox)

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 29,  
Chapter 14, relative to declaratory judgments.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 29-14-102, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection (d):

(d) No person shall have standing to bring any action pursuant to this chapter against any government official or governmental entity as that term is defined in § 29-20-102(3), unless such person has actually been aggrieved by the actions of such government official or governmental entity. No person shall be deemed "aggrieved" as that term is used in this subsection, unless such person alleges and proves that actions by the government official or governmental entity which serve as the basis of the action brought pursuant to this chapter have harmed such person to a different or greater extent than such actions have harmed other citizens or taxpayers of the same jurisdiction.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.